

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT
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Public Service-Treasuries and Accounts Department - Allegations of demand and acceptance of Bribe Against Sri Koka Rama Mohan Rao, Sub-Treasury Officer, District Treasury Office, Eluru, West Godavari District - Imposition of the punishment of stoppage of (2) annual grade increments with cumulative effect - Orders -Issued.

FINANCE (ADMN-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 1768

**Dated:30-05-2015
Read the following:**

1. Radio Message dated.22-8-2008 of Dy. Superintend of Police, ACB,Eluru Range.
2. DTA,A.P., HyderabadProceedings No.K(1)2/15348/2008, dt:02-09-2008.
3. DG,ACB,AP, Hyderabad Cr.No.194/RCT-EWG/2008, dt:14-7-2009
4. Government Memo No.1550/304/A1/Admn.III/2008, dt.25-08-2009.
5. DTA, A.P, Hyderabad Proceedings No.K(1)2/15348/2008, dt.19-10-2011
6. Enquiry Report of Tribunal for Disciplinary Proceedings in TEC No.8 of 2011, dt.27-06-2014.
7. Government Memo No.492-C/5/A2/Admn.I/14,dt.05.11.2014
8. Explanation of Charged Officer, dt.24-12-2014.
9. DTA, A.P., Hyderabad Lr.No.G3/K(1)2/15348/2008, dt:07-01-2015 and20-03-2015.

ORDER:

Whereas on the complaint made against Sri Koka Rama Mohana Rao, Sub-Treasury Officer, District Treasury, West Godavari bySri Pandula Kumara Swamy,Panchayat Secretary, Marrigudem Gram panchayat,the ACB authorities had conductedred handed trap on 21-08-2008 for demanding and accepting a bribe amount of Rs.1,800/- for showing an official favour to pass the bill of the complainant for Rs.55,720/-and the Charged Officer was suspended vide reference 2nd read above and was reinstated into service vide reference 5th read above without prejudice to the disciplinary case pending against him.

2. Whereas in the reference 4th read above, Government entrusted the case to the Tribunal for Disciplinary Proceedings for a detailed and regular inquiry into the allegations made against Sri Koka Rama Mohana Rao, Sub Treasury Officer, District Treasury Office, Eluru, West Godavari to inquire into the allegations of corruption.

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3. Whereas in the reference 6th read above, the Tribunal for Disciplinary Proceedings opined that *the Charged Officer is guilty of the misconduct within the meaning of Rule 3(1) & (2) of APCS(conduct) Rules, 1964 r/w Rule 2(b) of AP Civil Services (Disciplinary Proceedings Tribunal) Rules, 1989 framed under the AP Civil Services (Disciplinary Proceedings Tribunal) Act, 1960 as amended in 1993.*

4. Whereas in the reference 7th read above, a copy of the same was communicated to the charged officer and he was requested to submit his explanation, if any. The Charged Officer in his explanation, vide reference 8th read above, requested the Government to reject the findings of the Hon'ble Tribunal for Disciplinary Proceedings when there is no basis for arriving at the findings.

5. Whereas as seen from the reference 6th read above, complainant himself admits that the Charged Officer refused the bribe he offered and he forcibly put the tainted amount in the shirt pocket of the Charged Officer. The Charged Officer picked up the amount and returned to Complainant. The complainant again forcibly kept the same amount in the shirt pocket of the Charged Officer and in the meanwhile, ACB officials entered into the Restaurant and Bar.

6. Government, after careful examination of the matter, with the material available on records, report given by the complainant and considering the gravity of the facts and circumstances of the case, hereby order to award stoppage of (2) annual grade increments with cumulative effect on Sri Koka Rama Mohan Rao, Sub-Treasury Officer, District Treasury Office, Eluru, West Godavari District in terms of Clause (vi) under Rule (9) of APCS (CC&A) Rules 1991.

7. The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad is requested to take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**K.SUNITHA
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

1. The individual through the DTA, AP, Hyderabad.
2. The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, AP, Hyderabad.

Copy to

1. The Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.
2. The Secretary, Tribunal for Disciplinary Proceedings, Gaganvihar, Nampally, Hyderabad.
3. The Deputy Director, District Treasury, Eluru, West Godavari.
4. SF/SC.

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SECTION OFFICER